

Unsettled and probably local showers today. Temperature yesterday—Maximum, 90; minimum, 69.

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AMERICAN ENVOY TOLD HUERTA TO LEAVE MEXICO

ACTING AMBASSADOR AT MEXICO CITY GIVEN PASSPORTS—CRISIS REACHED—WAR CLOUDS NOW GATHERING, IT IS BELIEVED

O'SHAUGNESSY HANDED PASSPORTS BY HUERTA; HE MUST LEAVE MEXICO

Acting Ambassador Ordered to Quit Country—Failing to Gain Recognition from the United States, President Severs Diplomatic Relations.

TUMULTY AWAKENS MR. BRYAN AFTER MIDNIGHT

According to information received by The Washington Herald at an early hour this (Tuesday) morning, Nelson O'Shaughnessy, acting American Ambassador at Mexico City, was given his passports at midnight last night by the Mexican government, to take effect today.

He has sent no official confirmation of the action and ultimatum of Huerta to the State Department, but from confidential sources in Mexico City the administration, it is reported, has learned of the Huerta demand for recognition and severance of diplomatic relations with the United States.

It is expected that similar action will be taken by this government in handing passports to the Mexican charge d'affaires here.

A dispatch from Nelson O'Shaughnessy was taken to the White House by Secretary Bryan, where he conferred with the President over the new situation. The President was awakened for this purpose.

VISITS TO MR. BRYAN.

Although the State Department and the White House endeavored to postpone announcements of the impending crisis until the last moment, there was unusual activity, and it was very carefully concentrated in Secretary Tumulty himself. Mr. Tumulty made visits to Secretary Bryan after the receipt of the alarming news.

The results of his activity will be manifest early today at the White House, where the Foreign Relations Committee, members of the Cabinet, and those who would be concerned directly in the passage of the joint resolution, if war became necessary, will probably assemble. The Secretary of War and Gen. Wood are now away from Washington, but they will doubtless get dispatches bidding them hurry home. Admiral Dewey, as the head of the navy, and especially as head of the general navy board, will be called on for his services very early in the developments.

There seem to be only two avenues open for the United States—intervention, or an absolute discarding of all American interests in Mexico. President Wilson has set his face stubbornly against any resort to arms in Mexico and has intimated that he would not adopt such a course unless absolutely forced to it.

The other alternative contemplates the immediate removal from Mexico of all Americans and practically the abandoning of American interests there. This policy would mean that the factions in Mexico would be left to settle their own quarrels and all barriers against shipments of arms into Mexico would be lifted by this country.

ADVISES SUSTAIN REPORT.

El Paso, Aug. 18.—Mexicans claiming to have direct advices from Mexico City asserted tonight that Gen. Huerta has decided to expel John Lind and William Bayard Hale from Mexico within twenty-four hours. This action will be taken under article 33 of the Mexican constitution, which applies to "pernicious foreigners."

HUERTA REJECTS LIND'S PROFFERS

Mexico City, Aug. 18.—Gen. Huerta has denied the United States. His answer to the propositions of President Wilson was made known to Special Envoy John Lind today.

It refuses all proffers of mediation or any similar suggestions "from a foreign government."

Envoy Lind has forwarded Huerta's reply to Washington and will take no further action until he gets instructions from the American State Department.

Huerta Sends Ultimatum.

Following the rejection of the American proposals it was officially stated that the United States would have until midnight tonight to recognize the existing government in Mexico. It was stated that this ultimatum had come directly from Gen. Huerta.

No alternative was set forth in the ultimatum, but the usual action in a case of this kind is the notification of the government involved that the presence of its representatives is no longer desired.

Nelson O'Shaughnessy, who served as American Charge d'Affaires here while Henry Lane Wilson was ambassador, is now the Acting Ambassador. If he is notified to leave the country, John Lind and Dr. William Bayard Hale will undoubtedly receive similar treatment.

They are both personal representatives of President Wilson.

News of Gen. Huerta's defiance of the United States through his flat and unconditional refusal to accept any and all offers of mediation presented by Envoy Lind occasioned the greatest surprise here, in view of the tone of the reports in diplomatic circles, since the arrival of President Wilson's envoy.

It was considered almost certain that the Provisional President would meet half way the proffered aid and advice of the United States, and many forecasts, not only an end to the crisis in the relations between the two countries

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WITNESS GIVES CONFIRMATION TO I. H. M'MICHAEL

Elias Heidenheimer, Before House Committee, Says He Contributed to Fund.

PAWNBROKER ON STAND

Dramatic Action Against Representative McDermott Probably Will Be Taken in House.

By JOSEPH P. ANNIN.

Elias Heidenheimer, one of the three pawnbrokers who raised a "slush" fund to defeat the Dyer loan shark bill in 1911, testified yesterday to the House committee:

1. That he had returned to I. H. McMichael, without the payment of interest due, jewelry which the latter had pledged with him at the request of Representative James T. McDermott of Chicago.
2. That he had on several occasions discounted fifteen or twenty days in advance checks on the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House made payable to Representative McDermott, holding the checks until they were payable and charging McDermott no interest on the transaction.
3. That he was first introduced to McDermott by George D. Horning, the largest of the pawnbrokers, and that he called on McDermott at the latter's office in the House Office Building at least twice, knowing that McDermott was in "a friendly attitude" toward the pawnbrokers in opposition to the so-called "loan shark" bill.
4. That he had contributed between \$1,000 and \$1,500 toward a slush fund to exempt the pawnbrokers from the operation of the loan shark bill; that this was 50 per cent of the total amount raised; that of the \$4,000, more or less, so raised and disbursed by Horning he could account for only about \$2,000, and that he had asked for no accounting from Horning for the balance.

Cross-Examination Ineffective.

These admissions constitute the strongest corroboration of a number of damaging features of I. H. McMichael's sensational testimony that the committee could hope for. They came after Attorney Easby-Smith, in a continuation of his cross-examination of McMichael on Saturday, had used two hours in ineffectual attempts to break down the latter's story.

When McMichael's cross-examination was suspended at the conclusion of the morning hearing, it stood without a dent in any material point, and it found the committee indicating a strong general belief that dramatic action against Representative James T. McDermott will grow out of the House investigation of McMichael's charges.

Mr. Heidenheimer was the second of the "big three" pawnbrokers to be placed on the grill by the committee. The other—Abraham Burnstine—was examined Saturday afternoon. Burnstine, as far as the committee was concerned, was subject to cross-examination on important points concerning the committee inquired. Heidenheimer, on the other hand, appeared to be willing to tell the committee everything which he had personal knowledge, and his examination, in so far as it proceeded yesterday, was quiet and comparatively simple.

George D. Horning, the third member of the "big three," probably will be called to the stand today after McMichael has been further cross-examined on certain documents which he has been called upon to produce.

Subpoena Not Served.

It developed yesterday that the Garrett committee has been unable, as yet, to serve a subpoena on John D. McDermott, supposed to be a brother of James T. McDermott, and who McMichael swears was present at a conference on loan-shark legislation between George D. Horning and Representative McDermott.

On the stand yesterday afternoon Heidenheimer testified that he had given Horning \$1,000 and possibly \$1,500 toward fund to defeat anything which he had the loan shark bill in 1911.

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CHILD HEIRESS SAYS MEN ABDUCTED HER

Philadelphia, Aug. 18.—Gladys Chetwood, fourteen-year-old, of 815 Glenmore Avenue, who is said to be heir to an estate of \$100,000 left by a grandparent to Elizabeth N. J., and Laura B. Hoff, seventeen years old, 644 Willow Street, Frankfort, Pa., fearfully testified in the Central Station today that they were abducted by two men in a motor car Saturday and taken to an inn at Berlin, N. J., where they were locked in rooms by the men and ill-treated.

They said food was refused them for twenty-eight hours and they were afraid to make an outcry because one of the men carried a loaded revolver.

The youths whom the girls accused were held under \$2,000 bail each for court by Magistrate Coward. They said they were Herbert Sheppard, twenty years old, and Albert Millican, twenty-one years old, proprietor of the Model garage, this city.

C. B. Ambrose, special agent of the Department of Justice, came to this city today from Washington to make a special investigation to determine whether the men can be held under the Mann White Slave act.

VENEZUELAN LOYALISTS CRUSH CASTRO'S REBELS

Willstead, Curacao, Aug. 18.—A schooner which arrived here today from Coro, scene of the fighting between the Castro revolutionists and government forces, brought word that the rebels have been overwhelmingly defeated with the loss of a number of their leaders.

The Federals recaptured Coro from the rebels. Gen. Lazaro Gonzalez and Gen. Urbina are reported to be among the killed. Both were personal friends of Castro.

FLIGHT AROUND BRITAIN FAILS.

Second Aviator Falls After First Was Taken Ill.

Yarmouth, England, Aug. 18.—The second Great Britain aeroplane flight began by H. G. Hawker at Southampton Saturday and continued by Aviator Sidney Pickles again with the 2,000 mile journey from Yarmouth. Pickles arose at 5 o'clock and soared out over the sea, but his motor stopped and the aeroplane dropped. Neither Pickles nor the plane was injured, and another effort will be made to resume the flight Wednesday.

32 GO TO DEATH AS LINER STRIKES UNCHARTED ROCK

Steamer State of California Plunges to Bottom Off Alaskan Coast.

TEN BODIES RECOVERED

Many Passengers, in Staterooms as Crash Comes, Sink with Ship, Which Goes Down in Three Minutes.

Seattle, Aug. 18.—Twenty-five passengers and seven seamen were lost when the steamer State of California of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's fleet struck an uncharted rock and was wrecked in Gambier Bay, Alaska, at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. Ten bodies have been recovered.

The steamer sank within three minutes after striking and many passengers were drowned before they could get out of their staterooms.

Dispatches from Juneau say that it is impossible to give the correct list of the missing, as the pursuer saved no records. News of the wreck and the heavy loss of life did not reach Juneau until noon today. The steamer was carrying 32 passengers and crew who had been rescued from the icy waters.

Official's Wife a Victim.

Among the dead are Mrs. Nellie R. Ward, wife of Edward C. Ward, assistant general manager of the company at Seattle, and their daughter, Miss Lillie Ward, who succumbed to exposure after her rescue.

Other passengers drowned whose bodies were recovered are: Mrs. A. Birnbaum, Mrs. Stella Reardon, Clara Vandervliet, John Vandervliet, and four unidentified women.

The missing: Leslie Hobbs, Miss May Dixon, Mrs. C. E. Spillill and child, Lillian R. Norman, Nick Finkas, Ben A. Wade, Miss Anna L. Cassidy, W. A. Dyer, Minnette E. Harlan, Blanche Fried, Miss Alice Johnson, Miss Reardon, J. Holman, Miss Wilson.

Members of the crew who are known to be dead are: Fourth Officer Anders, Wireless Operator D. C. Perkins, Deck Officer N. W. Lawson, Deck Officer L. Mezzones, Walter P. Smith, Walter J. Clark, and Walter R. Manger.

Miss Ward and seven members of the crew of the State of California were found clinging to a raft by the crew of the Jefferson. Miss Ward died as the result of twenty hours' exposure before she reached Juneau.

The State of California sailed from Seattle last Wednesday night. The vessel's anchor was broken, and the total loss, the estimated value being more than \$1,000,000.

NEWPORT JEWELER ROBBED.

Crackmen Obtain \$10,000 in Gems from Safe.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 18.—Burglars cleaned out Herman's jewelry store here during the night.

The loss is estimated at about \$10,000. The entire police department is at work trying to round up the robbers, who are said to have escaped in an automobile.

TYPHOON IMPULSES U. S. GUNBOAT.

Shanghai, Aug. 18.—The United States gunboat Wilmington had a narrow escape today during a typhoon. The Wilmington's anchor began to drag, and she was drifting toward the shore when she was rescued by a powerful tug. The storm did great damage to shipping.

U. S. STUDENT SHOOTS BARON.

Young Croatian Came from America on Mission of Assassination.

Agram, Hungary, Aug. 18.—A young Croatian student who came here from the United States on a mission of assassination, according to the police, today shot Baron Skerleck, commissioner of Croatia, and his anchor began to drag, and she was drifting toward the shore when she was rescued by a powerful tug. The storm did great damage to shipping.

Baron Skerleck was shot in the arm and side, but physicians said they believed he would live.

Gettysburg Swept by Storm.

Gettysburg, Aug. 18.—The battlefield of Gettysburg and this town were swept by a terrific storm, which killed 100 people, and Gen. Lee took observations prior to the battle was destroyed.

CHIEF ATTORNEY DECLARES GLYNN ACTING GOVERNOR

After Opinion by Legal Officer, All Planning to Oust Sulzer.

GLYNN WILL GET MAIL

Plans to Have New Apartment Designated Executive Office—Will Attack Story of Illness.

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE.

Albany, Aug. 18.—Martin H. Glynn was tonight declared Acting Governor of New York in an 8,000-word opinion by Attorney General Thomas Carmody, the legal officer of the State.

This is the hardest blow dealt William Sulzer since his impeachment by the Assembly, August 15. No one who is familiar with the tangled cause by Mr. Sulzer's refusal to consider himself suspended has any doubt that an active effort will now be put forth to dispossess him of the last vestige of the authority to which he still clings.

Neither Sulzer nor Glynn would make any comment on the opinion tonight. Two tests, either of which ought to be decisive, will be had tomorrow:

First, the Legislature, meeting at noon will accept from Mr. Glynn a message authorizing it to enact a supply bill. Thus the Legislature will formally recognize Mr. Glynn as Acting Governor.

Second, a meeting of the board of trustees of public buildings will be called by Mr. Glynn. This meeting, composed of Glynn, Speaker Smith, of the Assembly, and Majority Leader Wagner, will designate an apartment in the capitol—probably Mr. Glynn's present office, as the executive chamber.

Sulzer's Meeting Vain.

This will insure the delivery of State mail to Mr. Glynn and will enable him to instruct the executive clerk's to report for duty.

Mr. Sulzer today called a meeting of this board, of which the Governor of the State is ex-officio chairman. He opened bids for the marble work in the capitol, declared the absence of a quorum and adjourned. Sulzer's meeting was attended by Secretary Platt and W. Lyn, of the Efficiency Commission. Neither is a member.

After the week-end lull in the work of extermination, which the Legislature has declared against Sulzer, all parties to the conflict are preparing for a resumption of hostilities, and the air is again electric with rumors of what is going to happen.

John A. Hennessy, another backer of today in a statement that 70 per cent of road contractors in the State are crooked. He adds that the indictment of Tammany Leader Bart Dumb and William H. Wharad, in Rockland County, New York, that his investigation would have unearthed plenty of proof of Tammany graft had it not been stopped by the fight on Sulzer.

To "Blow Up" Illness Story.

Members of the Frawley committee are preparing for another meeting in which they will seek fresh evidence against Sulzer and also seek to "blow up" the story of Mrs. Sulzer's confession. They discovered tonight that both Dr. Abraham, the New York specialist, and Dr. Bendell, the Albany physician who attended Mrs. Sulzer, have both gone on their vacations. It is likely they will both be called back to Albany.

Since the rendering of Carmody's opinion, State officers without exception are making ready to recognize Glynn as their Governor. An instance of the official state of mind created by the present situation is given in the copy of Supr. Riley, of the prison department, to messenger from both Glynn and Sulzer, concerning the escape of Harry K. Thaw.

Riley, who is taking no chances of getting "in bad," answered both gentlemen, addressing his messages "Hon. William Sulzer," and "Hon. Martin H. Glynn," and carefully omitting all titles.

If spite of the counsel of hot-headed advisers, Mr. Glynn is determined that nothing shall be done to add riot and disorder to the present mixed-up state of affairs. It is known that he has been advised by some of his friends, a number of whom are in high places, to declare that Mr. Sulzer is not only a trespasser on public property, but an usurper. He has been asked to call in the police and tell them to remove Mr. Sulzer from the executive chamber, and if the police are not effective to order out the militia.

Sulzer Looking Better.

It may be stated definitely that he will do none of these things. He will, however, before the week is out, take possession of all the departments that should come under his direction as Governor.

Mr. Glynn appreciates fully the embarrassment to State business caused by the idea that a dual government exists, and he has made up his mind to stop it.

He received callers and wrote a few official letters today, returning early to his country home. Gov. Sulzer, despite the wretched heat, is growing steadily more chipper and has apparently put on fifteen or twenty pounds of flesh. His eyes are clear, his complexion, which was chalky white last week, is now ruddy, and his smile has returned.

Mrs. Sulzer is improving steadily and will soon be able to accompany her husband on his automobile rides.

Spaniards Repulse Moors.

Madrid, Aug. 18.—Heavy fighting between a Spanish army under Gen. Arzais and hostile Moroccan tribesmen is going on around Tetuan, Morocco. A war of attrition has been driven back with 100 killed, and they were trying to make another attack. The Spaniards had ten killed.

HIS ADVERSE TESTIMONY AROUND THAW'S ANGER



DR. AUSTIN FLINT, The noted alienist, who testified against Thaw for the State at one of the hearings held for the purpose of considering Thaw's plea that he be freed from Matteawan on the ground that he had regained his sanity.

CURRENCY ROW MAY CAUSE FIGHT

More Bitterness Evidenced as Debate in the Caucus Proceeds.

LEADERS ARE DISTURBED

One Report Says Tammany Is Trying to Beat Bill, Another that Morgan Lawyer Wrote Memo.

Open revolt against the Wilson administration is one of the probabilities of the Democratic caucus, which now has under consideration the Glass-Steagall banking and currency reform bill. The debate grows in bitterness as the caucus continues, and leaders believe that the fight of the insurgents is directed as much against the administration as it is against the bill itself. One of the Democratic orators made the statement yesterday that, if this particular bill had been presented without the endorsement of President Wilson, the member who so offered it "would be kicked out of the caucus."

The differences over the bill are so pronounced that it is generally admitted that it will tax the ingenuity of the Undersecretary of the New York Banking and Currency Committee to keep the caucus from breaking up.

Two reports, neither of which could be verified in any authoritative quarter, were put in circulation yesterday by the factions that are struggling over the banking bill. One of them, put out by a conservative leader, was to the effect that Tammany Hall, through its representation in the House, is conspiring to beat the bill. The other report, circulated by insurgent leaders, was that the bill was written by Francis Lynde Steierson, of New York, personal counsel of the late J. P. Morgan, and John V. Farwell, of Chicago, alleged to be the Western representative of the house of Morgan. It is understood to have been the purpose of the conservative leader who brought Tammany into the discussion to scare a lot of Southern members into support of the administration program, as anything like affiliation with the New York organization is regarded in many sections of the South as rank treason.

New Yorkers for Bill.

Inquiry among the New York Democrats demonstrates that most of them, if not all, will support the administration bill. Representative Patterson, the only New York member on the Banking and Currency Committee, voted for the bill in committee, and is prepared to deliver a speech in its support in the caucus. Representative Graham, of the Eighth New York District made this statement yesterday:

"It is absurd to talk about concerted action in our delegation against the administration."

CHINESE REBELS LOOT GOVERNMENT MINT

Dr. Sun Yat Sen and his followers in Japan to attack the Rev. Sun Yat Sen.

Hongkong, Aug. 18.—Serious disorder exists at Canton, where rebel soldiers and moonshiners have looted the government mint of \$2,000,000. Five thousand persons mostly civilians, have been killed in the recent fighting there.

Tokio, Japan, Aug. 18.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen, former President of China and instigator of the present revolution in Southern China, with Gen. Huan Sing and Gen. Chenchi, two of the rebel army leaders, reached Yokohama today en route for this city, where they will try to raise funds to keep up the fight against President Yuan Shi Kai.

Shanghai Battle.

Shanghai, Aug. 18.—Another battle between revolutionary troops and federalists is being fought near Nankin. Both sides are trying to take Purple Mountain, which commands the city. The rebels occupy Lion Hill, while the government forces occupy Fokien Hill. Foreign residents have taken refuge on warships.

HARRY THAW IS STILL AT LARGE; RELATIVES PLAN LEGAL BATTLE

Fight in Courts to Prevent Extradition of Stanford White's Slayer, if Caught Outside of New York, Is Certain.

WARRANT IS ISSUED ON BRIBERY CHARGE

Gunmen Helped Thaw Escape Is Gotham Story—Party Reported Seen in New England Towns—Guard Is Held by Authorities.

New York, Aug. 18.—Harry K. Thaw is still at large.

Two days' hunt for the slayer of Stanford White, who escaped from the Matteawan Hospital for the Criminal Insane, has failed to give any definite clue as to his whereabouts.

The police of all New England States have been on the lookout for him all day, and he has been reported all the way from Connecticut to Maine. The "reports," however, could not absolutely fix the identity of the famous prisoner.

Mrs. Mary O'Leary Thaw, the aged mother who spent more than a million dollars in attempts to free the millionaire specialist by legal means, was the first to receive direct news from Thaw since he fled from the asylum. This stated that he planned "to take a rest," and then go to "Elmhurst," the Thaw summer home at Orono, Pa.

Legal Battle Likely.

While the exciting man hunt went on in New York and New England today, the machinery of the law was set in operation to secure the return of the fugitive to Matteawan. At the same time Thaw's mother was making plans to combat the state's efforts.

No matter where Thaw turns up, a great legal battle is assured before he is absolutely secured of his liberty or before he is sent back to the madhouse. This conflict will be different from others that have been waged since Thaw was sent to Matteawan in February, 1906, however, in one respect.

In those Thaw was "in" and the struggle of the Commonwealth was to keep him there. In this Thaw is "out," and his relatives will spend their last cent to keep him away from the bars of Matteawan. Whichever way the battle dollars will go into the pockets of the lawyers.

The State of New York today, through District Attorney Edward A. Conger, took three important steps at Poughkeepsie with the purpose of returning Thaw to the madhouse and of punishing the persons who helped his escape. These were:

Warrant Charges Bribery.

First: Swore to a warrant charging Thaw with a felony in bribing Howard Barnum, who was on guard at the gate when the prisoner escaped.

Second: Had Barnum arraigned at Poughkeepsie on a warrant charging bribery and neglect of duty.

Third: Had warrants issued for five men accused of participating in the delivery of Thaw with the purpose of returning him to the madhouse and of punishing the persons who helped his escape. These were:

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Insane Soldier Kills Woman.

Vienna, Aug. 18.—An insane soldier today shot and killed the wife of a captain of the guards and then turned his weapon on several companions, severely wounding them.

In trying to escape he jumped from a window, sustaining probably mortal injuries.

CONGRESS IN BRIEF.

SENATE.

Met at 11 a. m.

Senator Tillman delivered an address attacking woman suffrage.

Consideration of the tariff bill resumed. The Lobby Committee adjourned till Friday without holding session.

California wine producers appeared before the Finance Committee.

Adjourned till 11 a. m. today.

HOUSE.

Not in session, meets today.

Lobby Committee resumed with I. H. McMichael under examination.

SENATE TO CHAMBERLAIN AND RETURN.

Pennsylvania Railroad. Tickets sold August 22, 23, and 24. Good returning to reach Washington before midnight, September 1. Consult Ticket Agent's Adv.